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SUBJECT: PROGRESSIVE-CONSERVATIVE POLICY RESOLUTIONS

REF: OTTAWA 876

1. PROGRESSIVE-CONSERVATIVE (PC) PARTY HAS PUBLISHED RESULTS OF VOTING ON 180-ODD POLICY RESOLUTIONS DISTRIBUTED AT NATIONAL CONVENTION MARCH 17. EXCEPT FOR AREAS IN WHICH ALTERNATIVES OFFERED (ABORTION, DRUGS) RESOLUTIONS WERE ALL APPROVED, GENERALLY BY LARGE MAJORITIES. IN PUBLISHING RESULTS, PC AGAIN EMPHASIZED THAT RESOLUTIONS ARE NOT RPT NOT PARTY POLICY, BUT INTENDED AS BASIS FOR DISCUSSION AND TO ASSIST LEADER STANFIELD AND PC CAUCUS IN COMMONS.

2. RESOLUTIONS APPROVED INCLUDE: ESTABLISHMENT CANADA-US ECONOMIC COMMISSION (79 PERCENT); REVITALIZATION CANADA-US INTER-PARLIAMENTARY GROUP (83 PERCENT); CANADIAN CITIZENS TO BE MAJORITY OF DIRECTORS OF FOREIGN-OWNED SUBSIDIARIES (83 PERCENT); MANAGERIAL AND REGULATORY CONTROL OF MARINE RESOURCES TO EXTEND 200 MILES OR TO EXTREMITY CONTINENTAL SLOPE (82.5 PERCENT); NORTH AMERICAN CONTINENTAL DEFENSE SYSTEM ACCEPTED BUT SHOULD NOT PRECLUDE INDEPENDENT CANADIAN ACTION ON DEFENSE MATTERS (94 PERCENT).

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3. AS ABOVE, RESOLUTIONS ARE NOT MEANT TO BE
BINDING ON ANY FUTURE TORY GOVERNMENT. HOWEVER, PC
LEADERSHIP HOPES FOR AND EXPECTS AN EARLY ELECTION,
AND RESOLUTIONS SHOULD PROVIDE USEFUL CAMPAIGN
MATERIAL FOR TORY CANDIDATES. TEXT WILL BE POUCHED
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